

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant	:	Oda, et al.
Appl. No.	:	10/501,691
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For	:	METHOD FOR IMMOBILIZING BIOMOLECULE ON CARRIER
Examiner	:	Crow, Robert Thomas
Group Art Unit	:	1634

AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL**Mail Stop AF**

Commissioner for Patents

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action sent January 22, 2007, Applicants respectfully request the Examiner to enter the following amendments and consider the following arguments.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 5 of this paper.